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In re Application of

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Application No. 09/842,404

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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed by facsimile transmission on June 12, 2003 to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed November 7, 2002, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of one (1) month. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on December 8, 2002.

Pursuant to petitioner's authorization, Deposit Account No. 13-2546 was charged \$1,300.00 for the petition to revive an unintentionally abandoned application .

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Wan Laymon at (703) 305-9282.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 3762.

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